

## Message Text

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PAGE 01 BOMBAY 00626 170728Z  
ACTION NEA-10

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 ONY-00 /011 W  
-----170729Z 075475 /11  
R 170426Z MAR 77  
FM AMCONSUL BOMBAY  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 7154  
INFO AMEMBASSY NEW DELHI

C O N F I D E N T I A L BOMBAY 0626

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FOR KUX, NEA ONLY

EO 11652: GDS  
TAGS: TECH IN  
SUBJ: TARAPUR: COMMENTS ON TARAPUR MEMO

REF: A) NEW DELHI 3510; B) BOMBAY 591

LATEST DRAFT YOUR TARAPUR MEMORANDUM WAS NOT IN MARCH 16 POUCH SO  
I WILL NOT BE ABLE COMMENT DIRECTLY ON IT. HOWEVER, I GATHER FROM  
DAVID SCHNEIDER'S COMMENTS IN NEW DELHI 3510 IT STILL CONTAINS A  
SENTENCE REPEATING WITHOUT QUALIFICATION THE CRITICS BALD STATE-  
MENT THAT INDIA USED US-ORIGIN HEAVY WATER IN THE 1974 EXPLOSION.  
I BELIEVE THE IMPLICATIONS OF THIS STATEMENT TO BE SO MISLEADING  
AS TO SERIOUSLY COMPLICATE AN OBJECTIVE CONCLUSION ABOUT FURTHER  
COOPERATION IN THIS AREA WITH INDIA. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION IS  
REQUIRED TO PUT THIS MATTER IN PERSPECTIVE AND I URGE THAT YOU  
ACCEPT SUGGESTION IN EITHER BOMBAY 457 OR NEW DELHI 3510.  
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